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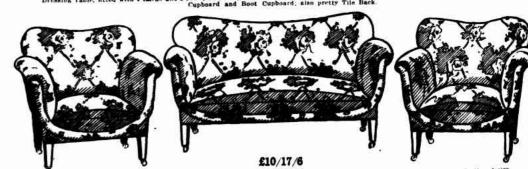
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that they will be treated with the fullest consideration by their countrymen.

It is good news to hear that the Common-ideal should be to act as his conscience. aith is not to be deprived of the ability RESTRICTION ON CAPITAL.

Hughes has announced that Sir William Irvine has placed "his services at the dis-posal of the Government in relation to a

vergent views on matters of principle can be justified only by the appearance in the life of the nation of some object which is of vital importance, and which must be attained immediately. If members decide to co-operate merely for the sake of keeping their opponents out of office, they will be dismissed as soon as they come be for the electors. If the object of their coalition does not transcend their old differences their tenure of office will be marked by compromise and delay and failure to initiate any necessary reform. The Coalition Ministry which was completed on Saturday.

In must be taken by an increasing number of men militarily unfit or over age, and by visit to Queensland, returned to Sydney on Saturday.

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SYDNEY.

LABOUR SUPPORTERS.

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MR. HOLMAN'S CONFIDENCE.

aside.

M. John Butler, in seconding the motion, and he was one of the founders of the Labour movement, and asked every Labour man and woman in West Sydney, in the name of common sense, to support Mr. Hughes.

After several others had spoken on similar lines, the motion was carried unanimously.

thit, acquiesced in this course, and at the ing endorsed the nomination to not time placed on record its appreciation of of Sir A. Gould, Senator Millen to loyalty to the cause which had prompted Senator Cakes. An address on the McGirr's action in offering to contest the day situation was given by Miss C at Sydney seat.

AMUSEMENTS.

RESTRICTING EXPENDITURE.

MR. W. B. GRIFFIN'S PLANS.

With a view to bringing the various departments of the Sydney General Post Office on Saturday. It provides that no personal public, the Postimaster-General, Mr. Webster, has recommended that considerable extensions and alterations be carried out without delarmand alterations became the Minister, the public has been much inconvenienced, the working costs and the official have been have been inflated, and the official have been inflated. An important regulation uses agreed to restrict the expenditure on amusements, was agreed to restrict the expenditure on amusements was agreed that no personal the provides that no personal the work of the work of the provides that no personal that no personal that no personal the personal that no personal the personal that no personal that no personal that no personal the personal

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POSSIBLE ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENT.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN MAILS.

MESOPOTAMIA

BRITISH PROGRESS

SUBMARINES MIGHT MORE VICTIMS

GERMANY AND AMERICA

Mr. Arthur Henderson, a member of the War Cabinet, says the Allied leaders will be bitterly disappointed if this summer they do not strike such a blow as will lead to final victory.

Lord Derby (Secretary for war) says that we are going to see the critical period of the war during the coming six months.

Meanwhile, he added, many more restrictions on the liberty of the subject and many more privations must

be borne. There has been considerble activity on the Western

The Allies have made progress at several points, while the Germans claim to have made a successful attack in the Champagne district.

Success is attending the British operations in Mesomiaimia.

Two advances have been ade on the Tigris, and nearly 2000 prisoners taken. The booty includes five machine gus, 2500 rifles, and large untities of ammunition and

light more steamers have en sunk by submarines.

THE BIG TEST.

WITHIN NEXT FEW MONTHS. of Riport failed.

ALLIED CONFIDENCE.

LONDON, Feb. 17. Mr. Arthur Henderson, a member of the ir Cabhet, speaking at Manchester, ids—"I share to the full the feeling at the next few menths are going to test a Alles as they never have been tested by the first of the state of the sta

bases of the war, he continued, had never been so high or more justified. Our armies

long and even more bitter than hitherto bree things were necessary for victory. enumerate them in the ord to which they were needed, namely, beer, men, and munitions. Judging by sports the people had given the money and thown the enemy that Britain would anything the people had given the money age the war to the bitter end. Muni-

CONSTANTINOPLE.

TURKISH MINISTER'S BOAST.

LONDON, Feb. 17. Takat Ber the Turkish Minister of be interior, in an address to the Cham-er of Deputies, said.—Our enemies with tempire us of the Dardanelles. As a single Ottoman lives we will be the Constantinople. Turkey has al-

WESTERN FRONT.

ENEMY CLAIMS LOCAL SUCCESS.

BRITISH PROGRESS.

both banks of the Ancre this morning proorded guns, and perhaps gunners, within progressed considerably. We attacked southward of the river, and captured positions along a front of one and a half mile opposite the vilinges of Miraumont and Petit Miraumont. We penetrated over a thousand yards, and advanced our line within a few hundred yards of Feff Miraumont and confirmation of the reported release of the ter-attack. The enemy's losses were heavy. We took 268 prisoners, of whom six were officers. We carried out raids southwards of Neuve Chapelle and north-eastward of Ploogsteert. We reached the second line latter place. A large number of at the latter place. A large number of the enemy were killed and many dugouts destroyed. We repulsed hostile parties workward of Lens and eastward of Gi. Embassy.

AMSCERDAM. Feb. 17.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 17.

A French communique on Friday stated. The enemy bombarded our Butte de Mesnil and Maisons de Champague front most intensely, and succeeded, with the aid of the explosion of several mines, in penetrating a sailent west of Maisons de Champague and north of the road to Butte de Mesnil. Our barrage and flanking french was the sent home via Spain.

A telegram from Berlin states that the Surt of the Champague from the Yarrowdale out the country have taken up big block of stock for the benefit of employees with home via Spain. They will be sent home via Spain.

PRESIDENT'S POWERS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.

Ideates, Large employers of inbour through out the country have taken up big block of stock for the benefit of employees with home via Spain. Heavy purchases of Japanese bonds for sticking fund purposes were a feature on the Stock Exchange, funds thus released being invested in the stock and the stock of the country have taken up big blocks. Heavy purchases of Japaneses of Maisons de Champague and north of the road to Butte de Mesnil.

Our barrage and flanking free.

GERMAN REPORT. (Admiralty-per Wireless Press.)
A German official message says; The
Crown Prince attacked in the Champagne

south of Ripont, and was completely suc-cessrus. We stormed four lines on a front of 2000 metres to a depth of 800

ward of Moraumont. French advances night through westward of Berry-au-Bac and southward ministration

Our aeroplanes copiously bombed important establishments behind the front and blew up several ammunition dumps

EMPEROR'S CONGRATULA-TIONS.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 17. the Crown Prince on his Champagne suc-Lam concess. It is doubtful whether this presset that the Allies have got the meamed our opponents. The great Allied
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Seeked the opportunity to rally the drooping spirits of the Germans and maintain the prestige of the Hohenzollerns.

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GERMAN ACTIVITY.

The Belgian Lon sileguipped, nor better fed. Hence he biered not only in our Commander-In-baye manifested unprecedented activity. Met but in the leaders of the Allied less. He would be very much surface fit during the summer we did not the such a blow as would, with the selfices that now prevailed, and would swall more fully during the next few wan, lead the war to a close on lines underly satisfactory to ourselves and the legislation of the selfium depots comprise young men of good physique, and they are well-squipped. The Belgium depots are empty, and large garrisons have been skeletonised. sand the war to a close on lines of satisfactory to ourselves and the legislations have been skeletonised. New nerodromes have been built at Bruges and Ghent. Correspondents pre-bolton, said that the war would an even more bitter than hitherto, things were necessary for victory.

SIR EVELYN WOOD'S

CONFIDENCE. LONDON, Feb. 18. Pield-Marshai Sir Evelyn Wood, in re-sponse to a request, has sent the "Ob-server" a message to the men at the front. Clies. It was men we wanted, and must like. Without men one could not win be var. We would not win to be var the least of the war by shift that we had won. It pleased by the best that Germany was stiffering a manner we harlly realised, she had before your and would make thanks of a company. Lord French and Sir Priday 1200 yards southwards of Shumman was suffering a family of the subject and many more private many more restrictions on the life many more restrictions on the life many more private many more restrictions on the life many more private many more private many more private many more restrictions on the life many more restrictions on the life many more private many more privat ins Haig was our best-instructed junior officer. I believe that he, baving carefully estimated the value of the objective, will not shrink from asking the to make any necessary sacrifice."

BRITISH AIR RAID.

LONDON, Feb. 17. The Admiralty reports that the naval aeroplanes effectively dropped heavy bombs on the Ghistelles aerodrome, and

he leave Constantinopte. Turkey has also bombed Bruges Harbour (Zeebrugge)

Mr. T. A. Edison is working day and the Contral Powers, and will not be indifferent to the claims of modern civilisation.

Mr. T. A. Edison is working day and hipping yesterday.

A message from Flushing says that 70 light in a closely guarded building on a were killed or lujured, including many model of a 16ft craft, which will, he says, revolutionise submarining.

TO ARM MERCHANTMEN.

CRISIS WITH GERMANY. NEW YORK, Feb. 17.

UNITED STATES.

German machines were brought down, and machines are brought down another chantmen, and it is believed that the Administration is convinced that arming merger for four of ours are missing.

Sir Douglas Haig, in a report issued yesterday, says: A successful operation on the it is expected that the mavy will provide guns, and nerhous empress within provide guns, and nerhous empress within the successful operation of the contraction of the contractio both banks of the Ancre this morning provide guns, and perhaps gunners, within

The State Department has received no confirmation of the reported release of the within a few hundred yards of Pent at raumont. We captured northward of the river an important position on the upper slopes of a apur northwards of Baillescourt Parm. We successfully repulsed a countries. We successfully repulsed a countries of the report of the repor

RUNNING THE "BLOCKADE." NEW YORK, Feb. 16. Twenty-one ships, of which 14 travers the barred zones, arrived on Friday.

UNIVERSAL TRAINING. Another German message says; There has been strong artillery fire on the Ancre has been strong artillery fire on the Ancre wilson has agreed that a system of uni-NEW YORK, Feb. 17. A later German official message says; versal militar, training is essential. He al a strong English attack south- will make the position known within a fort French advances night through an announcer support of the Universe Training Rill.

VESSEL STRICTLY GUARDED.

The strictest watch is being kept ove the Frederick VIII., the vessel which

MESOPOTAMIA.

BRITISH GAINS.

TWO THOUSAND PRISONERS.

LONDON, Feb. 18. LONDON, Feb. 18.

An official report concerning the operations in Mesopotamia states: We resumed
the offensive on Thursday along the right
centre of the Dahra bend, on the right
bank of the Tigris, and secured our objective along a 700 yards front. We extended our gains by bomb attacks for tended our gains by bomb attacks for a depth of 500 yards along a thousand yards front. We easily repulsed a com-ter-attack. We assaulted later the left centre and secured our objective along a front of 850 yards. During the night we cleared out the enemy in small areas, securing the whole of the Dahra bend,

ROME, Feb. 18.

A message from Salonica reports that the enemy's right wing in Macedonia has been broken. The Austrians and Albanians were dispersed with serious losses,

NEW TYPE OF SUBMARINE. MR. EDISON'S INVENTION.

VESSELS SUNK. THE VICTORY LOAN.

GREAT RUSH.

A FINANCIAL TRIUMPH.

LONDON, Feb. 17. LONDON, Feb. 18.

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reported late on Friday: We carried out a successful raid south-eastward of Souchez.

An enemy party reached our lines north-prohibit submarines saving the lives of passengers and crews even if other circles with losses.

During air fighting on Thursday eight German machines were brought down, and anti-nicraft guns brought down another, and it is believed that the Ad
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The "New YORK Times" correspondent to subscribe to the Victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money party reached our lines north-prohibit submarines saving the lives of passengers and crews even if other circles was a great eleventh-hour rush to subscribe to the Victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money passengers and crews even if other circles was a great eleventh-hour rush to subscribe to the Victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money passengers and crews even if other circles was a great eleventh-hour rush to subscribe to the Victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money passengers and crews even if other circles was divised by a subscribed at £700,000,000, and it may be 2000,000,000. The Stock Exchange of the curst of the complex of the victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money passengers and crews even if other circles was a great eleventh-hour rush to subscribe to the Victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money passengers and crews even if other circles was a great eleventh-hour rush to subscribe at £700,000,000, and it may be 2000,000,000. The Stock Exchange of the victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money abscribed at £700,000,000, and it may be 2000,000,000. The Stock Exchange of the victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money abscribed at £700,000,000, and it may be 2000,000,000. The Stock Exchange of the victory Loan. Financiers estimate the minimum of new money abscribed at £700,000,000, and it

Exchange met with extraordinary success

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tensely, and succeeded, with the aid of the explosion of several mines, in penetrating a salient west of Malsons de Champagne and north of the road to Butte de Mesnil. Our barrage and flanking dreform the district north of Main de Massages caused the enemy heavy losses. A violent artillery struggle is proceeding in this region.

There is great patrol activity in the Woever. Five enemy aerophanes were brought down. Our air squadrons bombed rallway stations, blast furnaces, aerodrome, barracks, bivouncs, and a military.

The resident Wilson has conferred with the long and purposes of Japanese bonds for sinking fund purposes were a feature on the Stock Exchange, funds thus released being invested in the war loan, and the Japanese Government has bought 2.840,000 since the new year, making 9.615,000 since the outbreal of the war. Japanese device the outbreal of the war. Japanese development of the Forest of State) declined to make any great industrial centres. It is estimated that Glasgow subscribed a lundred millor, Marchester 75 millions, Marchester

NO LONGER USEFUL.

respondent reports that a lady who dined with Count Zeppelin says the Count admitted that Zeppelins were no longer useful because the British had discovered effective means o

BRAZILIAN WARSHIP.

The Brazilian warship Lears, which has been built in Italy, is leaving for Brazil, and has been ordered to follow the usual route.

EIGHT MORE VICTIMS. ALL BRITISH STEAMERS.

LONDON, Feb. 18.

Three were killed and one wounded by the explosion on the Marle Leonhardt, and two of the crew of the Lady Ann were killed, and five wounded. The captain of which £1,000,000,000 has been advanced

the submarine frightfulness.

The "Pesti Naplo" attacks Count Rever low as the principal exponent of ruthles ness, and demands that he be placed und

"Nepsyava" demands the sen murders, and attacks von Tirpits. The "Pesti Hiriap" quotes M. Karoli

THE RUSSIANS.

(Admiralty-per Wireless Fram.) LONDON, Feb. 15. A Russian official message says:-pulsed attacks south-east of Zolote

GREECE.

LONDON, Feb. 18.

JUTLAND STORY.

HOW THE LUTZOW SANK. DESERTER'S NARRATIVE.

BRITAIN'S BURDEN.

THE WAR BILL. TREMENDOUS COMMITMENTS.

LONDON Feb. 16. LONDON, Feb. 38.

The following British steamers have been sunk:—Hopemor (3740 tons), Afton (1156 tons), Longscal (2777 tons), Green-(1156 tons), Longscal (2777 tons), Green-(2000), Gr

GERMANY WITHIN. CONTRAST WITH FRANCE. PEOPLE MISLED.

LONDON, Feb. 17. The "Daily Telegraph's" Puris correndent states that interviews with men bers of Mr. Gernrd's party give the fol-lowing collective opinion on the interna-state of Germany. The Americans said:— Our first surprise on reaching Paris was to see taxi cabs. We saw more motors in an hour in Paris than in months in Berlin, where cars run on iron tyres. The second surprise was the well-fed horses. Berlin horses are all emaciated, and it

akes six to draw a load which two would

can eat their fill at an enormous price. nssured him she will not p Milk there is terribly scarce. The death-rate among children has gone up to an extraordinary degree. The German people bay of the Mediterranean). ere not merely on short commons but are literally suffering from hunger. Nevertheless the moral of the population keeps AMERICA AND GERMANY. up. It is a fact, though it amazes us now that we are in Paris, that the Ger-mans are absolutely convinced that the people of France and Eugland are suffer-ing the same, or worse, food shortage.

TERRORISMG POLICY.

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THE 1917 CAMPAIGN. HIGH BRITISH AUTHORITY.

ON THE MILITARY POSITION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. A high British military authority, with the approval of the War Office, has pre-pared a statement for the New York MISSION FOR SIR WILLIAM "Times" regarding the military on the eve of the opening of

pite the gross illegality of their employprisoners and deported civilians as muni-tion producers. Co-ordinated Allied pres-kr, W. M. HUGHES (N.S.W.): Prime sure on all fronts has forced Germa and Austria to draw interior material. Germany is feeling severely the strain of bolstering up steadily weaken mch as the Austrian army on the Russi front and the Bulgarian army on the Eussian front and the Bulgarian army in Mace-donia, which would collapse but for the German stiffening. The date of the end of the war cannot be fixed, but it will inevitably extinguish the Central Powers menace to the world's peace."

AMERICAN REFUGEES.

TURKEY WILL NOT INTERFERE

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"The abundance and variety of food in Paris is astounding. There is no comparison with Berlin, where only the rich Constantinople, reports that Turkey has assured him she will not prevent the description." parture of 1000 American refugees from

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WAR CABINET.

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MR. HUGHES GOES TO ENGLAND.

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Mr. J. COOK (N.S.W.): Minister for the Navy.

Sir JOHN FORREST (W.A.): Tres surer. Senator PEARCE (W.A.): Minister

Senator MILLEN (N.S.W.) ; Vice-President of the Executive Council.

Mr. W. A. WATT (Vic.) : Minister for Works and Railways. Mr. P. M. GLYNN (S.A.): Minister for Home Affairs.

Mr. J. A. JENSEN (Tas.): Minister for Customs. Mr. W. WEBSTER (N.S.W.): Post-

Mr. L. E. GROOM (Q.) and Senator RUSSELL (V.): Honorary Minis-The above is the order of precedence

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reference is well out of the way. We shall do ever atmost to have it so, and hope sincercity for the best.

Twill only add that the new Government has been formed for no reactionary purposes on the one side, nor for any social and eccosomical experimentation on the other. It represents a movement for a more workable Parliament—a stronger war party and a stronger war fovernment. The tasks ahead—of finishing the war—of reaning the full fruits of victory—of fixing anew, it may be sur place and status in the Imperial counsels—will make great demands on our patience, wall make great demands on our patience, patriotism, and statesmanship. They ran only be adequately met by a strong and united Parliament and Government. The task is pirit we go forward to meet what Res ahead. For the rest, patience and reschedules are the surplement of recruits.

LIOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, Feb. 16.

The Press Bureau announces that Mr. Lloyd

PARTY."

FERTH, Sunday.

At a largely-attended meeting held in the fown Hall last night, under the auspices of the National Council, a resolution was unanimously carried to the effect that in order to win the way and establish sound finance a National Government was imperative in the last and Federal Parliaments.

Speaking in support of the resolution, Mr. Highes and the coalition, or the spin-less hidviduals who had not the pluck to stick even to their own conscience? Behind the Tudor party would be found all the profermans of Australia. Those were the men the Labourites of Western Australia were intertained peaterday:—colonel Rankine, Lleut.-Colonels Cax, Taylor, Beltmann in concluding amid our applaues, the National movement, said Mr. Heltmann in concluding amid our applaues, the way one of the honorary Ministers in the Scaddan Government, also spoke in support of the resolution.

W. Anderson, Fewiere, Cable, D'Arcy, T. A. Davies.

A number of New Zealanders were also

QUEENSLAND PREMIER'S OPINION.

MR. HUGHES'S SYDNEY VISIT.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes) had made strangements to visit Sydney during the reck-end, but on Saturday afternoon he ansonned that, owing to the fact that he had sot sufficiently recovered from an attack of influenza, his medical adviser had warned the against making the trip. Mr. Hughes hopes to visit Sydney at the end of this week.

Mr. Cook, referring to the above message exterday, said: "I very much regret the can-silation of the meeting in the Town Hall to-morrow sight. The Prime Minister is the rettle of an influenta attack, which made it gate leaves the for him to undertake the ourser."

RETIRING MINISTERS.

MR. HUGHERS GRATITUDE.

been such a pleasure to work. He said:

can say without hesitation that in no Administration of which I have been a member
has there been such a spirit of harmony and
co-operation as in the recent Ministry. I
think it will be said by every unbiassed critic
that, on the whole, the late Ministry did its
work, whether departmentally or generally,
well. It was a Government of work and not
of talk, and I owe to those faithful colleagues
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ed the South Australian Parliament in He was a member of the Federal Concon, and entered the first Federal Partin in 1901. He is not new to office, in the first relative seeks shall approach and leave in the portfolios of Attorney-General, and Linister for Home Affairs a preparation of the Parliament of the Parliament in 1915, he has shown vigorous adtraitive capacity.

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Lieutenants Astley, Carrol, and Westmacott.

MINERS' WAGES.

tive of the Mners' receration, precess and discussion as to miners' attitude toward the nationalisation scheme. Other members of the executive hold sim-ilar views, but add that strikes nowadays are out of the question.

PRICE OF POTATOES.

LONDON, Feb. 18. The Press Bureau states that Mr. Lloyd George has telegraphed to the Lord Mayor of Manchester that the recent frost was reducted ing available stocks and interfering with the ster is the distribution of potatoes. The departments at more conferred with wholesale and retail stance, conferred with wholesale and retail stance, conferred with wholesale and retail callers, and the War Cabinet has approved of final proposals, as follows:—Growers are to be entitled to charge dealers, and merchants until the end of March 189/ per ton-ther may charge retailers, besides carriage, 210/ until the end of March, and thereafter 200/: For retailers price is to be 14d per ton-there are presented to the end of June.

INDIA'S WAR WORK.

AMERICAN COMMITTEE'S WORK.

Str Claude Hill is now presiding over an informal conference of non-official members, reg. ling the developing of certain agricultural and forest matters. The importation of motor cars was prohibited last month with the object of preventing an increase of petrol have now asked the Americans engaged in reconsumption, and Sir George Barnes to-day introduced a bill in the Legislative Council. The members of the commission have control to reduce the present rate of consumption, by

inter work in Belgium to remain.

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IMPERIAL PREFERENCE.

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ARMY FOOTBALL MATCH.

SUGAR INDUSTRY.

THE DICKSON AWARD.

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CAPTAIN'S EVIDENCE.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Summ.

A nautical inquiry has begun at Auckland in connection with the wreck of the Union (company's Maitai on Christmass Day in Avarua Roadstead. Captain Maclean, in the cree of his evidence, said he was maneuvring into a position with the anchor down in an endeavour to recover an anchor lost on a previous visit. The cable parted, and the vessel drifted broadside on to the reef, and remained fast, A sounding had shown sixteen fathoms. The cable should have

EXPORT OF SHEEPSKINS.

HONOURED BY THE KING.



SIR ROBERT RANDOLPH GARRAN,

WAR CASUALTIES.

Ride Club, and answered the call of Lieu-tenant Carmichael for a thousand rifemen. His counin, Private Jack M'Kenzie, was kified at Lone Pine. PRIVATE D. A. STINSON.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

LIEUTENANT A. H. VOGAN

LONDON, Feb. 18.

A Rugby match was played yesterday between teams representing the Army Service and New Zealand, the former winning by II points to 2. There were 7000 present, including Mr. and Mrs. Massey, and Sir Joseph and Lady Ward. The play of the New Zealand Lady Ward. The play of the New Zealand Lady Ward and the was a well-landers was disappointing. The forwards were much below the form shown by the team that Club. He was 24 years of are, and enlisted in the early part of the war. After being wonded at Galliboil he was in hospital in wonded at Galliboil he was hospital in England for a considerable time subsequently proceeding to France.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, Feb. 18.

SUPPORT IN THE WEST,

"TRAITORS IN THE LABOUR

PARTY."

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MAN KILLED. MOTOR CAR ACCIDENT.

KILLED.

A cable message was received in Sydney on Friday from the War Office, intimating that and Lieut. George Fortescue Perston, or R.F.A., the only son of Mr. N. W. P. Perston, or the Bank of New Zealand, Sydney, was killed in action in the Baikans on February 12.

PRIVATE A. J. M'LEAN.

Nurse M Lean of Coledale, has been informed that her husband, Private Alian John McLean, was killed in action in France on November 14. He also aerved through the Gallipoli campaign. He was a brother of Mrs. Elliott, of Arno. Bray-street, Erskineville, and a son of the late Mr. R. M'Lean, contractor and builder, of Glebe and Bombaia.

PRIVATE J. HARTCHEE.

News has been received by Mr. and Mra. Joseph Hartche, on active service abroad. The deceased solder was a native of Brantton, and was one of four brothers fighting at the front.

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WELLINGTON (N.S.), Junday.

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RECRUITING.

WIN-THE-WAR LEAGUES.

NEXT FRIDAY'S EFFORT.

TAMWORTH, Sunday.

Addressing the War Service Committee and delegates at Tamworth recently. Professor Macintyre, referring to the bitterness of spirit still left from the referendum, said it was their endeavour, and must be the endeavour; of all who helped them, to change that atmosphere. It was their am, and it should be the aim of everyone working with them, to impress on his or her individual circle the urgency of outting as many meta as possible at the front, not only to win the war, but to shorten the war. The cost was too great, too immeasurable, to contemplate to long dragging out of the conflict. He believed they had entered upon the last chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end ender of the war. How long that chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end ender of the war. How long that chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end end of the war. How long that chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end end of the war. How long that chapter was to last chapter was to last chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end end of the war. How long that chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end end of the war. How long the contemplate of the war. How long that chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end end of the war. How long that chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end end the majority:—"That the members here assembled to be guided by the last chapter was to last the could not say, but if at the end end to the majority:—"That the members here assembled to he majority:—"That the members here assembled to hear the following the could not say, but if at the end end the majority:—"That the members here assembled to hear the following the hould not say that it is the end end the majority:—"That the members here assembled to hear the following the hould not say that it is the end end to the could not say. The following the hould not say that the same the could not say. The contemplate the conflict of the wa

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BRIG.-GEN. E. G. SINCLAIR-MACLAGAN, D.R.O.,
Commanding the 3rd Australias Infantry Brigade.

HOWELL-PRICE CASE,
APPLICATION FOR RAIL

I.W.W. TACTICS. ATTEMPTS TO ENGINEER STRIKE.

FRUSTRATED BY A.W.U.

REPORT OF COMMISSION OF INQUIRY. WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Sunday.

TWO MEN DROWNED.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

A small fishing party of three were salling home from a fishing ground off Williams town and Port Melbourne they saw and verturned skiff with three men hanging on the stere. The party brought their boat alongside the capsized skiff and took aboard the three men, who were on the verge of collapse. One of them said that their boat overturned about 15 minutes believe the three men, who were on the verge of collapse. One of them said that their boat overturned about 15 minutes believe the three men, who were on the verge of collapse. One of them said that their boat overturned about 15 minutes believe the three men, who were on the verge of collapse. One of them said that their boat were picked up, and that two of the were picked up and the picked that the picked the picked that t

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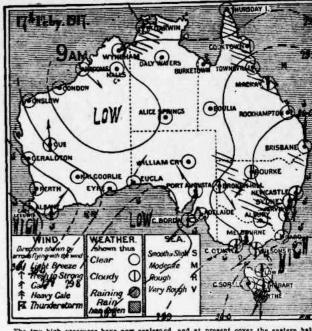
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CRITICISMS ANSWERED

V.A.T.C. AUTUMN MEETING.

WOORAK WIRS OAKLEIGH PLATE PATROBAS, THE ST. GEORGE STAKES.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Following are the results of Saturday's matches

CRICKET. GRADE MATCHES.

ROBERTS' WINE AND SPIRIT STORE

STATE ELECTIONS.

ALL LABOURITES SUMMONED TO ENROL BY FRIDAY

OTHERWISE NO VOTE WILL BE ALLOWED.

DON'T BE DISFRANCHISED.

The present Rolls are over twelve months old. The Daily Papers are faintly styling them the "NOVEMBER ROLLS." They are nothing of the sind, but are merely the Rolls collected by the police over twelve months ago. The rushing of the Elections is an unscruptions attempt to get back on the people for their vote against Conscription. Only the vote counts. Therefore,

APPLY AT THE LOCAL POLICE STATION FOR ENROLMENT. ALL IN-

ENROL AND VOTE FOR THE LABOUR PARTY AND NO CONSCRIPTION.

P. C. EVANS, General Secretary.

FOR SALL

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DOUBLE TO HEAR IT.

Picture Show, Stating Rink, Dancing Facilitor, Bergerian to Green and Facility. The very last word in Automatic Orchestras, Electric Vieins, and Band Organs, coin operated or otherwise.

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ELECTION NOTICES.

WIN-THE WAR LEAGUE, WATERLOO BRANCH.

MEETINGS.

HORSES, VEHICLES, LIVE STOCK.

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